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For District Judge.....J. M. Balderston
For Sheriff.....C. W. Simmons
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For County Clerk.....J. M. Chalmers
For Register of Deeds.....A. S. Marble
For Surveyor.....R. H. Mundeville
For Coroner.....M. W. McAllister
For Commissioner First District.....M. H. Edwards

PLATFORM.

The Republican party of Sedgewick county respectfully and briefly states its convictions upon the questions of public integrity.

It has full confidence in the integrity, statesmanship and high purposes of WILLIAM MCKINLEY, president of the United States. It is our belief that his administration has added to the renown and stability of Republican institutions and forms of government at home and abroad; that its influence marks the beginning of a new era in which humanity has been advanced to a higher plane, at home and in the nations of the world; that his administration has restored national prosperity, and we agree with the words of the great Democratic New York World, "it is a good time in a good country," that it has placed the country where of right it properly belongs—the leader among the powers of the world.

That the administration of the affairs of this state, now in the hands of the Republican party, with a citizen of our own county, the Hon. W. E. Stanley, as chief executive, is capable, clean, deserving of, and does, receive our most cordial endorsement.

With intense satisfaction we commend the glorious record made by our army and navy and the unexampled gallantry of General Funston and our Kansas volunteers in the Philippine campaign.

It is our deliberate conviction that when on that May morning a year ago Dewey sailed into Manila bay and won the greatest naval victory of modern times, the American flag was, in accordance with the laws of every civilized nation, and in accordance with the express desire, as it is written in the march of human events, of an overruling Providence, rightly placed upon the Philippine Islands. That this right has been recognized by every civilized power, ratified by the senate of this country by solemn treaty with the power recognized by the world as the nation owning the Philippines. That our right to be there and oppose armed insurrection is no longer a party question; to uphold the government so long as armed forces are opposing it in its efforts to establish a stable government there, is loyalty; to oppose it is disloyalty. We condemn and denounce the unpatriotic and un-American utterances of all who are giving encouragement to the Filipinos in their resistance to the American flag. Never yet has the old flag retreated before any armed foe, and wherever raised there it must stay.

The aggregation in this county known as the Fusion party is neither moved by, nor in possession of, a con-

viction or moral principle. It has abandoned every issue which brought it into life save the greed for office, and it now seeks by having its platform of treason adopted by the people of this county to bring the fair name and fame of Sedgewick county into disrepute and to disgrace the name of the gallant soldier which it bears.

We are opposed to aggregated capital, whether organized in the form of trusts, corporations or otherwise for the purpose of controlling the industrial affairs of the people, and we demand of our party in this state and in the nation such legislation which will at all times be for the best interests of all the people. That it is our conviction that every great question in which the people of this country have been interested has been in the past and will be in the future, settled in the interest of the people, by that genius of justice and right which prevails in and which brought the Republican party into existence; that it has the ability and integrity to properly settle and adjust the relations of capital and labor in the interest of the people.

Republican County Central Committee.

The members of the new county Republican central committee are requested to meet next Saturday at 2 o'clock at the office of E. E. Enoch, No. 153 North Main street. All the members are urged to be present.

W. F. SCHELL, Chairman.
PAUL BROWN, Secretary.

Resolution for Curbing and Guttering.

Be it resolved, by the mayor and council of the city of Wichita, Kansas, that it is hereby declared a public necessity to curb and gutter the west side of Topeka avenue from Douglas avenue north to, and including, the south forty (40) feet of lot six (6) in Mead's addition to the city of Wichita, Kansas, and that the cost thereof be determined and assessed to the abutting property owners, as provided by law.

Be it further resolved, That the said petition requesting the curbing and guttering of the street aforesaid be, and the same is hereby, ordered spread upon the Journal.

Be it further resolved, That this resolution be published in the Wichita Daily Eagle for six (6) consecutive days, and that a contract for making such improvements be awarded in the manner provided by law, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the city engineer's office.

FITZLAY ROSS, Mayor.
AMOS MCCLAIN, City Clerk.

Sealed Proposals.

Wichita, Kansas, August 17, 1899.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., August 23, 1899, for the construction of the following sidewalks:

All unfinished permanent walk on south side of Third street, from Emporia to Cleveland avenues.

All unfinished permanent walk on west side of Washington avenue, from Central avenue to Third street.

All unfinished permanent walk on west side of Indiana avenue, from Douglas avenue to Third street.

Said walks to be constructed in conformity with specifications on file in city engineer's office. Bidders on permanent walk must state price per square foot. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$10.00, payable to the city of Wichita, as a guarantee of good faith.

The mayor and council reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

AMOS MCCLAIN, City Clerk.

Tours in the Rocky Mountains.

The "Scenic Line of the World," the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, offers to tourists in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico the choicest resorts, and to the trans-continental traveler the grandest scenery. Two separate and distinct routes through the Rocky Mountains, all through tickets via either. The direct line to Cripple Creek, the greatest gold camp on earth. Double daily train service with through Pullman palace and tourist sleeping cars between Denver, San Francisco and Los Angeles, and Denver and Portland. The best line to Utah, Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washington via the "Ogden Gateway." Write S. K. Hooper, G. P. & T. A., Denver, Colorado, for illustrated descriptive pamphlets.

Wanted.

Two first-class tea, coffee and cigar salesman with an established trade in the Southwest. Large salary paid to such.

H. C. FISHER, Chicago.

New Enterprise.

Custom-made shirt factory will open Sept. 1.

Exchange Stables.

Exchange stables at Orlando and Stillwater. Make a specialty of carrying passengers between these points. Also do a general livery business. Traveling men's baggage solicited.

SHIVELY, VAN WYKE & SHIVELY.

Magnetic Treatment.

Prof. Lovley teaches all diseases and is very successful. No drugs are used. At Douglas Avenue house, corner Douglas avenue and Water street.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

ANNUAL MEETING CONSECUTED ORDER OF 'HOO-HOO,' DENVER, COLO.

For the above occasion, The Great Rock Island has made a rate of one fare plus two dollars for the round trip to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo. Tickets on sale September 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12. Return limit September 15. E. DRAKE, G. P. & T. A., Topeka, Kansas.

The best line to Colorado points—Missouri Pacific railway. Through sleeper, Wichita to Denver. Leaves Wichita 1:20 p. m.

CAREER OF DEROULEDE
Now a Blatherskite But Once a Gallant Patriot
AND A MAN OF LETTERS

What Adventures Befell Him in the Franco-German War.

Paris, Aug. 5.—There was a time years ago when Paul Deroulede was one of the most popular men in France. He now wavers between prison and the platform of a cheap lecture-hall. Once distinguished as a soldier and a man of letters, he has become notorious as a disturber of the peace and a breeder of discontent. During the first quarter of a century of his life he figured as the hero in a series of episodes which Alexander Dumas could have made use of in his most romantic novels. Born of good stock, he inherited shrewdness and decision from his father, who was a clever lawyer, and a literary disposition from his mother, who was the sister of Emile Angier, the distinguished author and play-wright.

Like all ambitious young Frenchmen, he soon found the province limited and monotonous, and started early from his country home for the Latin quarter of Paris. He was here in 1870, studying law, when the call to arms reached his ears and first roused in him the sense of patriotism which he now makes the text of his emotional discourses. He enlisted at once in the "Garde mobile de Belleville," but, charmed, no doubt, by the romantic and brilliant history of the Zouaves, he almost immediately obtained a transfer to one of their regiments, and set off for the frontier.

One day when about an eight hours' march from Reims, the Third regiment of Zouaves was resting in a potato field, worn out and hungry, when Paul, hearing some one call his name, looked up from the kettle of soup he was watching, and saw his mother and his young brother Andre standing near by. He rushed into their arms, and half laughing and half crying, begged an explanation of this sudden and unexpected appearance. Andre began to tell at once how eager he had been to follow Paul's example, how his mother had at first opposed him, feeling it so wrong enough to part with one son, but how at last, seeing his determination to serve his country, the mother had declared that she him and not leave him until they had found Paul and obtained his promise of protection for the younger boy who was only seventeen.

The first journey was from Paris to Reims, whence, they learned, MacMahon and his army, and Paul among them, had marched the previous day. Half sick with excitement and fatigue, Mme. Deroulede, showing only courage to her boy, rented a post-chaise, and together they set out, with no guide but the information given them by the peasants on the roadside, as to which way the Third Zouaves had passed. They were about despairing when Andre perceived his brother.

The three found their way to an inn near by, and when Andre had finished relating his story, the two sons, leaning on their mother's knees, fell asleep there they were children, after a sham battle with toy fowling pieces. The mother only watched, for the anxiety of the hour and the dread of what would result to her boys kept away sleep. She left Paul and his brother the following day, calling to them as she drove away, "Courage my sons! the echo of their 'Courage, mother!' and waving until she was out of sight her 'panache,' a handkerchief in reality, though the symbol to them of a noble bravery peculiar to mothers.

Three days later the Third Zouaves were fighting before Sedan, Andre being shot through the chest in his first battle. Paul was among the 30,000 Frenchmen carried prisoners across the Rhine by the Germans during the war as living trophies of their victories. The suffering of these prisoners has been described by many Frenchmen. It is possible that they have exaggerated its horror, but the following account of it exists in a German newspaper, *Triesterische Zeitung*, of 1870-71: "The peasants who came today to the market from the neighborhood of Billburg say that there are men lying all along the road, French prisoners, who had fallen behind the last detachment. Many were groaning and muttering like dying men, and others were stretched out motionless. Dead bodies mark the route followed by the unfortunate in crossing the region of Elfeld. Every thirty or forty feet one stumbles against a dead or dying man, and often they are found fallen in a heap, one upon the other. The peasants and authorities do what they can to assist these poor, miserable creatures, but their needs are overwhelming."

Night and day these poor wretches had to march, march, march. In vain they begged for grace. "Vorwarts!" was the answer. When fainting with hunger and thirst they approached a fountain and several of the Frenchmen drank greedily, they were seized, it is said, by blows from the sabres, guns and swords of the German officers and soldiers. The fogs of water which the peasant women offered them from the wayside were dashed to the ground before their eyes, and the halts, notwithstanding this, became less and less frequent, the marches more and more rapid. The night watches were especially lamentable, ill, exhausted, and weakened by wounds and fever, and not even there were allowed to rest.

Sometimes, after a six, eight or ten days' march the prisoners came to a railroad. Here they were packed into open cars like so many oxen, and carried into the far corners of Germany, where they were again transferred to a miserable prison camp, or to the casements of some fortress. Fed upon black bread full of straw, and a few potatoes, destitute of clothes, underclothes, or shoes; lodged in damp, unhealthy holes, beset both by cold and vermin, countless numbers of them perished. Paul Deroulede was a witness to these scenes of misery and horror. He was imprisoned at Breslau. His correspondence was intercepted, and he was found to have referred in some slighting way of the "German herd," and for this offense was cast into a dungeon upon a bed of wet straw. Not overcome by this situation, Deroulede, winning the confidence and affection of the jailer's daughter, obtained from her a disguise and the means of escape from his cell. After many trying adventures, always in disguise as a Polish Jew, he succeeded in traveling by way of

Boston Store
103, 105, 107, 109 E. DOUGLAS AVE.
WICHITA, KANSAS
OTTAWA, KANSAS

INTERESTING times here for you tomorrow, for tomorrow we give two sales that are typical of the stores buying power, and bargain giving. These are late purchases and it will probably take only a few hours to sell the entire lots.

**...A SALE OF GOLF CAPES...
A SALE OF SILK SKIRTS**

These Golf Capes are all samples. Made of double textured cloth. The outside is plain navy and plain black in Boucle finish. The inside is plaid in various colors. The hood is plaid with a fringe finish. These Capes are very stylish, and most popular here in Kansas for early fall evening wear.

There are only fifty of them and you must be here on time if you want one. The sale begins at 9 a. m. Remember that there's not a cape in the lot but that is a worthy value at \$8.00. Tomorrow you may have your choice

FOR \$3.98.

These Black Taffeta Silk Skirts were bought in a lot of odds and ends and we really don't know just what this particular lot did cost us. They are of all Silk Taffeta, the kind that retails at 75 cents per yard. The linings and bindings and makings are first-class. Land Sakes! There's \$5.25 worth of silk in these, let alone the linings and making. Only thirty-four of these skirts. So be quick. Beginning at 9 a. m. tomorrow

CHOICE \$3.23.

Vienna, Turin, and Lyons, to Tours, the headquarters of the defense nationale.

The very day of his arrival there, he was presented to Gambetta, who recognized a former Latin quarter comrade. "I have come to risk my life a second time for my country," said Paul. My regiment and my mother are shut up there, but I guarantee to reach them." Gambetta refused him this, but promoted him to rank of Captain. Thereafter, he took brave part in twenty battles, being only once wounded. At Montebellard he was decorated for his audacious courage, and he counts among his many trophies the congratulations of the great Bourbaki for his noble conduct upon the battle field.

Since those days Paul Deroulede has published seven or eight volumes of prose and verse, and has been counted among the poets of France. The two volumes which entitle him to this rank were written while the din of battle was still in his ears: "Chants du Soldat," dedicated in 1870 to the father to my mother, and *Nouveaux Chants du Soldat*, dedicated in 1871 to "my soldier comrades." Most of his prose writings are commonplace and insignificant, but his war poems have genuine sentiment, and describe vividly the touching and dramatic scenes of which he was witness. Two of the most famous are "Clarion" and "Bon Gite." Clarion is the brave bugler who falls in every war, and is celebrated by poets of all nationalities, stanching the blood of his fatal wound with one hand, he delays death until with the other he has raised the bugle to his lips and sounded the final victorious charge.

"Alors le Clarion s'arrete, Sa derriere taie est faite, Il achève de mourir."

Bon Gite is the good peasant woman who coaxes the passing soldier with unexpected care, food, fire, a bath-cloth, bed and even sheets, at which luxury he remembers, and then good peasant smiling through her tears, explains, "My son's a soldier like yourself."

It was only while the sound of cannon was in his ears that Paul Deroulede was seemingly in full possession of his senses. To his friends it is a matter of regret and disappointment that he should not have remained a soldier to complete well a career which was of such brilliant promise at its start.

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ANNUAL CONVENTION W. C. T. U., SEATTLE, WASH.

For the above meeting The Great Rock Island has made a rate of one fare for the round trip.

Tickets on sale October 14, 15 and 16, return limit November 1. Stop-over privileges within limits and return limit at any point.

E. DRAKE, D. P. A.
E. W. THOMPSON.
A. G. P. & T. A., Topeka.

Under the title "A Colorado Summer," the Santa Fe route has issued a sumptuous printed book devoted to the attractions of the Rocky mountain summer resorts. Intended, we understand, for free distribution. Besides a graphic description of the more noted localities, the publication contains special articles on climate, the mountain camping, fishing and shooting, and is embellished by eight half-tone illustrations and special photographs. A map of Colorado, a table of altitudes, and a full list of hotels, cottages and boarding houses and their rates are included. This should be an invaluable handbook for all who contemplate a summer trip to that charming region of lofty altitude, pure air and cool sunshine.

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NATIONAL G. A. R. REUNION AND OLD HOME EXCURSION, PHILADELPHIA, PA., VIA THE GREAT ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.

Special train of Pullman's tourist sleepers will leave Wichita Saturday, September 2, at 9:45 a. m. and run through to Philadelphia without change of cars.

Dates of sale September 1, 2 and 3, 1899.

Open return limit—Tickets will be good to leave Philadelphia returning, without execution, up to and including September 12, 1899.

Extended return limit—By depositing ticket with joint agent at Philadelphia between September 5 and 8, both dates inclusive, and on payment of 50 cents at time of deposit, return limit may be extended to leave Philadelphia up to and including September 30, 1899.

Rates—For ticket limited to continuous passage and no stop-over in either direction, \$24.50.

For ticket, going and returning via the same route, but with the privilege of one stop-over at any point east of Pittsburgh, Pa., the rate will be \$25.10.

For ticket, good going one route and returning another, and with the privilege of stopping off at any point east of Pittsburgh, Pa., once in addition to the regular stop-offs granted on first-class tickets to Philadelphia, the rate will be \$27.10.

E. E. BLECKLEY, P. & T. A., 114 North Main Street, Wichita, Kan.

HOMESICKERS' EXCURSION VIA SANTA FE ROUTE.

On Aug. 1-15, Sept. 5-15, October 5-17, the Santa Fe will have on sale Homesickers' excursion tickets to points in Arkansas, Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico and Texas, at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. These tickets will bear going limit of fifteen days with stop-over privileges. First return limit twenty-one days from date of sale. Those who desire to take a trip will do well to call on some representative of the route that reaches all points of importance—"The Santa Fe Route." Telephone 120.

L. R. DELANEY, Agent.

POE ST. LOUIS.
TAKE THE MISSOURI PACIFIC, "KANSAS AND NEBRASKA LIMITED," Leaves Wichita at 2:30 p. m., arriving at St. Louis next morning at 7:30, making direct connections with all lines east. No change of cars. Elegant service. City ticket office, 114 North Main street.

SUMMER TOURIST RATES TO COLORADO.

(Via the Santa Fe.)

Tickets on sale June 1 to September 15, inclusive; final return limit October 15, 1899. To Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver, \$12.00. Two trains daily—Elegant chair car and Pullman service—leaving Wichita 5:30 a. m. and 7:35 p. m.

G. R. DELANEY, Agent.

ATZEC CALENDAR.

The Santa Fe Route has issued a handsome six month Calendar, July to December, 1899, which contains six separate reproductions in color full inches, of E. A. Burbank's celebrated portraits of Pueblo Indians; one for each month. These are the same reproductions used in "Brush and Pencil," and cannot be obtained separately for less than \$1.50. In fact, some of them already command a high premium. The "Atzec Calendar" also has an engraved cover containing a reproduction of the ancient Atzec Calendar Stone. Obtainable for 5 cents by applying to W. J. Black, G. P. & T. A., 2 & 3 E. Ry., Topeka. May be ordered by mail.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Philadelphia, Pa., September 4 to 8, 1899.

For the above occasion the Santa Fe route will offer the following low rates and inducements: Tickets on sale September 1, 2 and 3, 1899, with return limit September 15. Limit may be extended up to and including September 30, 1899, by deposit with joint agent at Philadelphia, between September 5 and 8, and on payment of 50 cents at time of deposit. Rates: For tickets limited to continuous passage and no stop-over in either direction, \$24.50; for tickets going and returning via same route, but with the privilege of one stop-over at any point east of Pittsburgh, Pa., the rate will be \$25.10; for ticket going one route and returning another and with the privilege of stop-over at any point east of Pittsburgh, Pa., once in addition to regular stop-over granted on first-class tickets to Philadelphia, the rate will be \$27.10. Remember, that the Santa Fe route to Chicago and Pennsylvania line to Philadelphia has been adopted by the G. A. R. of the state of Kansas as the official route. Special train will leave Wichita September 7 at 10:40 a. m. For further information telephone 120, Union Depot, Wichita, or address L. R. DELANEY, A. T. & S. F. Agent.

"The Rock Island" Route has cheap rates, liberal stop over privileges, through cars, etc., to the G. A. R., Philadelphia. Ask or write "Rock Island" agent for information and one of the souvenirs, or address E. W. Thompson, A. G. P. & T. A., Topeka, Kansas.

FRISCO LINE TO EUREKA SPRING, ARKANSAS.

Excursion tickets on sale at all times. Take a march needed rest and spend a few days at this noted resort. \$12.50 for the round trip. Good returning slowly days from date of sale.

H. G. MORTIMER, City Ticket Agent.

ANNUAL CONVENTION W. C. T. U., held at Seattle, Wash., October 25 to 27, 1899.

For the above occasion the Santa Fe route will sell tickets to Seattle and return at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale October 14, 15 and 16. Going limit October 20. Final return limit November 15, 1899. Stop-overs will be allowed within limit on going and return trip at any point.

L. R. DELANEY, Agent.

A jury of ravens would not be long in deciding that a linnet could not sing.

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